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E.O. 11652: GDS

TAGS: PFOR, ASEC, MILI, TH, US

SUBJECT: THREAT AGAINST AMERICAN INSTALLATIONS

REF: CHIANG MAI 264

1. THREAT TRANSMITTED REFTEL IS MOST SERIOUS WE HAVE RECEIVED TO DATE. PERSON (OR PERSONS) HAVE OBVIOUSLY MADE SOME INVESTIGATION OF NATURE U.S. MILITARY PRESENCE HERE AND, ASSUMING IT WAS SAME GROUP WHO MADE CALLS TO DET 415 RESIDENCES ON JUNE 22 (CM 257), HAVE GAINED ENOUGH KNOWLEDGE TO USE U.S. MILITARY PHONE SYSTEM. ALSO, CALLS TO CONSULATE INSTEAD OF UNITS REFLECTS SOME DEGREE OF POLITICAL SOPHISTICATION. WE STILL HAVE NO RPT NO IDEA AS TO SOURCE OF CALLS.

2. WE HAVE FOUND NO RPT NO INDICATION OF CONNECTION BETWEEN THESE CALLS AND OTHER CURRENT PROTEST ACTIVITIES SUCH AS  
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ONGOING SERIES OF EXHIBITIONS AND SEMINARS SPONSORED BY

PRACHATAM GROUP AT CHIANG MAI UNIVERSITY SCHEDULED TO END JUNE 28. (SEE PREV. TELS) THESE MEETINGS HAVE CONCENTRATED ON LOCAL THAI PROBLEMS AND HAVE NOT YET GOTTEN AROUND TO SCHEDULED DENUNCIATIONS OF THE AMERICANS. SESSIONS TO DATE HAVE EVOKED LITTLE PUBLIC RESPONSE.

3. CALLERS ACCUSATION THAT CIA RESPONSIBLE FOR DEATH OF CHAWIN SRAKAM (ON JUNE 16), PARALLELS JUNE 24 STORY IN LOCAL CHIANG MAI DAILY, THIN THAI, IN WHICH DR. PHAITOON KRUAKEO, HEAD OF THE DEMOCRACY FRONT AND FORMER MEMBER OF PARLIAMENT, WAS REPORTED SAYING THAT PERHAPS THE CIA DID KILL CHAWIN. (RE PHAITOON, SEE CM 142).

4. WE HAVE REPORTED LATEST THREAT TO BOTH SPECIAL BRANCH AND PROVINCIAL POLICE. COMMANDER OF LOCAL AMERICAN MILITARY UNITS ARE PUTTING FURTHER RESTRICTIONS ON TRAVEL INTO POTENTIALLY TROUBLESOME AREAS.

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